

Assessment Calendar 2025-2026

Assessment	Length	Format	Dates*	Purpose/Audience	Requiring Party**
MAPS Growth	Untimed	Computer	June – October 2025 August 14 th & 15 th , 2025 (MS)	Math Placement and Reading Baseline All MS Students, New 9 th & 10 th graders	CECFC McMurry MS CECFC HS
Accuplacer	Untimed	Computer	June – August 2025 October 2025 & April 2025	College readiness in English and Mathematics	CECFC HS State of Colorado
WIDA Screener	~1h 20m	Computer	August 2025	New CEC students with a home language other than English	State of Colorado
MAPS Growth	Untimed	Computer	October - December 2025 (HS) January 15 th & 16 th , 2026 (MS) April 30 th – May 1 st , 2026 (MS)	All McMurry MS Students OR Students taking 060 and 090 classes	CECFC MS & HS State of Colorado
PSAT/NMSQT	~3h	Computer	October 11 th or 18 th , 2025 ***Sign-up required by 8/30/24	Scholarship Qualification/SAT Prep 11 th grade students (Cost: \$30)	OPTIONAL
NNAT-3	30 minutes	Computer	October 3 rd , 2025	Gifted and Talented Test All 6 th grade McMurry MS students	CECFC McMurry MS Federal
ACCESS	~3h	Computer	Jan 12 th – Feb 13 th , 2026	Students on an MLL plan	State of Colorado Federal
NAEP-LTT	~1h 30m	Computer	Oct.-Dec 2025 March-May, 2026	Randomly selected 8 th graders Randomly selected 12 th graders	Federal
CMAS	6 th & 7 th -≤8h 45m 8 th -≤12h 45m	Computer	April 2026	Math/ELA/Science All 6 th , 7 th , and 8 th grade students	State of Colorado
CMAS Science	≤3h	Computer	April 2026	All 11 th grade students	State of Colorado
SAT	2h 14m	Computer	April 2026	All 11 th grade students	State of Colorado
PSAT 10	2h 14m	Computer	April 2026	All 10 th grade students	State of Colorado
PSAT 8/9	2h 14m	Computer	April 2026	All 9 th grade students	State of Colorado

* Dates are determined by the requiring party. In the case of State or Federally required assessments, CECFC has no input in the chosen dates. Currently these dates are listed as tentative by the Colorado Department of Education and could therefore change.

** Assessments are required by the party listed. In the case of State or Federally required assessments, CECFC is required by law to administer this test.

*** These tests are not required so you must sign up if you want to take them. Please email cecily.schenimann@coloradoearlycolleges.org.